

**Bemidji Area Strategic Planning Session
October 23, 24, 2001
Radisson Hotel and Conference Center
Green Bay, Wisconsin**

A G E N D A

October 23, 2001

- 8:30 a.m.** Invocation
- 8:35 a.m.** Welcome and Introductions
- – Dr. Kathy Annette, Area Director
 - – Great Lakes Intertribal Council
 - – Michigan Intertribal Council
- 9:00 a.m.** Strategic Planning: Getting Started – Jo Ann Kauffman
- Overview of 1997 Plan
 - “Why do strategic planning?”
 - Setting Ground Rules
 - Thinking “outside the box”
- 9:30 a.m.** Understanding our Environment – Harold Tarbell
- What has changed since 1998?
 - Health Challenges and New Strategies
 - Federal Challenges
- 10:00 a.m.** Break
- 10:30 a.m.** Vision Workshop – Jo Ann Kauffman
- What administrative support systems and structure do we see for the Bemidji Area in four years?
- 12 Noon** Lunch break
- 1:30 p.m.** Review Vision for the Future – Harold Tarbell
- 2:00 p.m.** Challenges and Barriers Workshop – Jo Ann Kauffman
- What is blocking or preventing us from achieving our vision?
- 3:00 p.m.** Break
- 3:30 p.m.** Continue Challenges and Barriers Workshop

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Day Two of Bemidji Area Strategic Planning

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8:30 a.m. Welcome and Reconvene

9:00 a.m. Strategic Directions Workshop – Jo Ann Kauffman

- What are the actions, strategies or programs that will help circumvent the barriers and move us closer to our vision?

10:30 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m. Strategic Directions Workshop Continued

12 Noon Lunch break

1:30 p.m. Implementation Planning – Harold Tarbell

- Self-selection Workgroups will identify actions and plans for each major strategic direction
- Plans must be specific, measurable, and time-bound

3:00 p.m. Break

3:30 p.m. Implementation Planning Continued

4:00 p.m. Follow-up Activities

- What can we do to incorporate these plans into our activities?
- Is there a “kick-off event” that can be used to launch this plan?
- What are our next steps in the planning process?

4:30 p.m. Adjourn